

SCORED BY A JUDGE

A DUBUQUE INVESTMENT COMPANY SEVERELY ARRAIGNED.

Its Methods Declared to Be Fraudulent and Its Officers Pronounced Swindlers.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23 .- The North American Deposit and Investment Company, of Dubuque, Ia., was severely denounced by Judge Horton in open court to-day. The methods of the company were declared to be fraudulent and its officers pronounced swindlers, while the court expressed an opinion that its organization had been effected for the purpose of preying upon the Ignorant. The company, is one of the largest loan and investment concerns in the country, having a capital stock of \$25 .-000,000. While the company was incorporated in Iowa and has its main offices in Dubuque, the chief officers-Samuel R. House president, and Lyman E. Page secretary-are residents of this city.

The subject matter for Judge Horton's

criticisms was contained in the facts brought out on the trial of a chancery matter, in which Carolina Humphries and her husband, Joseph Humphries, a colored couple, formerly residing in Atlanta, Ga., were complainants. The evidence given in court was to the effect that Humphries and his wife wished to obtain a loan of \$1,200 on property worth \$2,500. They were induced to sign papers which they were told constituted a mortgage, but which in reality amounted to an absolute warranty deed. The old people never received but \$560 in cash, the balance of the \$1,200 being given to them in the shape of stock in the company. Judge Horton ordered a reconveyance of the property and ordered the cancellation of the \$1,200 note executed by the Humphries on the return of the cash which they had received and the stock in the company. In giving his decision the court was very severe on Edgar W. Duncan, of Dubuque, the attorney of the concern, who is also cashier of a bank in that city, and wound up his decision by declaring that the company was "gotten up for the purpose of perpetrating frauds upon the people with whom it dealt."

The North American Deposit and Investment Company was organized here by Isaac Bates, of St. Paul. While its capital stock was fixed at \$25,000,000, it never had anything approaching such a sum, nor, in fact, anything at all. Bates is said to concern was based on expectations. The company has no office at Dubuque, nor has it had for a year. Edgar W. Duncan, the attorney, is now a resident of Salt Lake City, where he is a content. City, where he is a cashier of a prominent

IRWIN ARRESTED.

The Pittsburg Discretionary Pool Man Captured in New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.-George M. Irwin as been wanted by Pittsburg investors for ten days or more for alleged swindles in the conducting of his grain speculation business. Irwin left Pittsburg, it is said, as soon as he learned that warrants had been issued against him, and went to Philadelphia. Here commissioned officer John J. Sweeney, of Pittsburg, searched for him and had the warrants indorsed for service by Magistrate Pole, of that city. It was learned Irwin had come to New York. Sweeney arrested him here to-day at the Grand Hotel. Irwin was taken to Jefferson Market Police Court and committed to prison, pending an examination to-morrow. In court Irwin was represented by counsel, Thomas Martin, of Chicago, of the brokerage firm of J. M. Martin & Co., of the Produce Exchange Building in this city, was also present. Mr. Martin had charge of many of Irwin's deals in New York and Chicago. Irwin refused to say anything

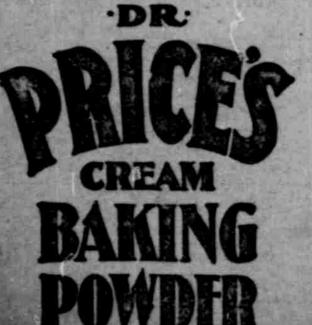
Irwin has been a resident of Pittsburg for many years. He has been a speculator in grains and stocks and three years ago formed the firm of George M. Irwin & Co., which received money of small investors for speculative purposes. It is said Irwin promised investors 20 per cent. a month return for their money. He denies this, and claims to have lost all the money intrusted to him and a large sum of his own money. to him and a large sum of his own money in trying to stem the tide of hard luck, which befell him. Some of the investors secured a warrant for Irwin's arrest on a charge of larceny. Officer Sweeney said to-night he believes Irwin had made arrangements to go to Europe.

ALLEGED FRAUDS.

Arrest of Building and Loan Association Officers and Employes. PITTSBURG, Nov. 23 .- Seven officers and employes of the Fidelity Building and Loan Investment Company, also known as the Columbia Building, Loan and Investment

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Association, of Washington, D. C., with an



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office in this city, were arrested on a charge of conspiracy to cheat and defraud. The names of the prisoners are: Harrison Dingman, of Washington, D. C., president; Andrew Wall, of Washington, D. C., vice president, and the following local employes: R. F. Mitchell, W. M. Henry, F. J. Holden, W. A. Ewing and R. Haight. They were all taken to the Central Station where they were held under \$1,000 bail each. Emma Snider, a colored woman from Allegheny, is the prosecutor. She went to the office yesterday to withdraw her money and was refused. The police have been watching the company for several days. They learned that the president and vice president were on a tour of inspection and would be here so the officers determined to take them in

The president, Harrison Dingman, after his arrest, said: "The association is char-tered in Virginia and has been in existence for eight or nine years. It was originally the Fidelity Building, Loan and Invest-ment Association. Then we founded the Fidelity Building and Loan Association. Owing to the similarity of titles there was some confusion and two years ago the investment company was renamed the Columbia Building, Loan and Investment Asso-

Harrison Dingman was rearrested tonight at the B. & O. depot just as he was
about to leave for Washington on two additional informations. W. M. Henry, who
had accompanied Dingman to the station
to see him off, was also arrested, and both
are now in the central station. It is said
the others will be arrested as soon as
found. Dingman and Wall, who are high
up in Masonry, were here attending a meetup in Masonry, were here attending a meet-ing of the Mystic Shrine when arrested.

K. OF L. ADJOURNS.

Sovereign Surrenders \$1,000 of His Salary-Bond Issues Denounced. NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 23 .- The General Assembly of the Knights of Labor finally adjourned this afternoon. The next convention will be held in Washington, in November of next year. Previous to final adjournment General Master Workman Sovereign called Kenney, of the executive board, to the chair and took the floor. Mr. Sovereign then moved that the salary of the general master workman be reduced from \$3,500 to \$2,500. The motion was unanimously carried.

ted protesting against the issue of bonds by the United States government, and characterizing the issue as a fraud and an outrage upon the toiling masses, in flagrant violation of existing laws and intended solely in the interest of the money powers and bondholding aris-A resolution favoring the amalgamation

of all brewing associations into one organi-zation of the Knights of Labor was referred to the executive board. The recommendation that the surface railroad employes of New York be reunited in one body of the K. of L. was adopted. The delegates began leaving this evening for their homes. The members of the executive board will remain in this city until

the work left in their hands has been at-The Niedringhaus Strike. ST. LOUIS, Nov. 23 .- Thomas Hanley, vice president of the Amalgamated Association of Iron Workers, is in this city, and has taken charge of the strike at the Niedringhaus tin-plate mills. To-day he ad-

dressed some 150 of the strikers and their friends. He assured them that the Amalgamated Association would extend every assistance, financially and otherwise, to the mill employes, both union and nonunion, in their present fight. Mr. Hanley denied the statement made by Mr. Niedringhaus that Eastern mills had reduced the scale of wages, and that the St. Louis mills could be successfully operated at the old scale. He said that he was confident that the men would ultimately score a great victory.

The company has a number of applications for work from men who are said to be skilled workmen, but so far is only working a single mill, and that only part of the

STEAMER . ZAMA SUNK. Captain and Twelve Men Saved by a

GEORGETOWN, S. C., Nov. 23.-The tug W. P. Congdon picked up off the bar yesterday Capt. F. T. Bennington and twelve men of the steamship Ozama, bound from Philadelphia to Charleston, in ballast. Capt. Bennington reports that at 7:30 p. m. on Nov. 17 his steamer struck in Captain Romain shoals and stove a hole in the engine room compartment. The water quickly filling the fire rooms rendered the engines useless. The steamer floated off

the shoals soon after striking and at 2 a. m. sunk in six and a half fathoms of water. The crew all took to the boats, saving only part of their clothing. The engineer, with ten men, went off to board the steamer Planter, from Charleston for this port, but missed her and it is supposed they have gone to Romain beach. The steamer will be a total loss. The captain and twelve men will go to Charleston to-morrow by the steamer Planter.

Movements of Steamers. NEW YORK, Nov. 23 .- Arrived: State of California, from Glasgow; Bovic, from QUEENSTOWN, Nov. 23 .- Arrived: Campania, from New York.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 23 .- Arrived: Virginia,

Wheat Speculator Beaten in Court. TOLEDO, O., Nov. 23.-A case was decided in the Common Pleas Court to-day, that is of much interest to the grain trade. A man named Miller took a "flyer" in wheat speculation on the Toledo Produce Etchange, Southworth & Co., being his brokers. He lost \$3,800 by his operations and brought suit against the firm for that amount on the ground that dealing in op-tions is gambling and, hence, contrary to the State law. The jury brought in a verdict for the defendants on the ground that there

was no cause of action. To Beautiful California Via The True Southern Route-comprising the lines of the Iron Mountain route, Texas & Pacific and Southern Pacific rallwaysthe ideal winter way to the land of sun-shine, fruit and flowers. This route has no freezing weather, high altitudes or snow

No change of cars from St. Louis to Los Angeles. Elegant Pullman Buffet Sleeping Car and Pullman Tourist Sleeping Car leave St. Louis daily at 9:50 p. m., arriving at Los Angeles the fourth day out at 7 p.m. "For full particulars, tickets, berth reservations, maps, etc., address any coupon ticket agent or COKE ALEXANDER, D. P. A. Mo. Pac. Ry., Jackson Place, Indianapolis.

\$1.50-Madison and Return-\$1.50. Sunday, Nov. 25, via Pennsylvania Line. THE FAVORITE

LAST NIGHT'S ODDS ON TO-DAY'S FOOTBALL CONTEST.

Even Money that Harvard Would No Score and 5 to 3 that the Blue Would Win the Game.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Nov 23.-Leaden skies and an aspect for to-morrow bluenough to please even the most enthusiastic Yale man was the rule to-night. The predictions, however, for to-morrow, are fair and warm, and Springfield people refuse to believe that the good weather of former years is not to be duplicated. The trains tonight began to bring in the first delegation of football enthusiasts, and with the arrival of the teams the usual enthusiasm began to show itself. The city is in gala attire, the shop windows and fronts of buildings being decorated.

The Yale team, with its coachers and few heelers, arrived at 2:45 on a special train. The coachers were taken in hand by the newspaper men. Giant Heffelfinger loomed up above all. In reply to a query he said: "Of course, we hope to win, but you know it is the unexpected which always happens. If we are beaten we can have no excuse, except that they played better than we did, for we are in fine condition." The special train bringing the crimson

squad pulled into the Springfield station just before 6 o'clock to-night and the men were greeted with a few cheers from the gathering crowds as they filed into the waiting electric cars which carried them to their richly-furnished quarters in the Hotel Savoy on Armory hill. The eleven will spend the night but a short distance from their blue-legged -rivals on State street. There is little or no betting here, simply cause very few Harvard men have mad their appearance. The odds to-night are 5 to that Yale will win and even money that Harvard will not score.

At the latest hour for the gathering of information to-night the line-up of the teams for to-morrow's game is given as

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EFFORTS OF CICLERS. Quad and Triplet Teams Make Fast

Time at Louisville. LOUISVILLE, Nov. 23 .- The weather to day at Fountain Ferry Park was cold and raw. Johnson started out for the flying mile unpaced record, but gave it up after he had gone two laps, the weather being too bad. The fractional time for the twothirds was as follows: Quarter, :33 2-5; third, :45; half, 1:06; two-thirds, 1:28. The quad team to-day went a third of a mile, making it in the fastest time that has yet been made on the track, as follows: Quarter. :26 1-5; third, :35 flat. The triplet team went out for a record and established one, there being no former record. It made the mile in 2:01 4-5, thus establishing a mark which the team will probably lower before it leaves here, as the weather to-day was very unpropitious. The fractional time was: Quarter, :30 1-5; third, :40; half, 1:00; two-thirds, 1:20 1-5; three-quarters, 1:31; mile, 2:01 4-5. Johnson will probably make another trial to-morrow at the mile flying inpaced record. To-morrow will be the opening day of the track. There will be five events among lo-cal riders, and some races among visiting

Wheeling Around the World. ST. LOUIS, Nov. 23 .- A. B. Barnes and W. J. Noble, members of the Toledo Bicycle Club, reached here to-day on their trip around the world. The trip is taken entirely for pleasure. Barnes and Noble will remain over here until Monday, when they will leave for Arizona and lower California.

After touring through old Mexico, they
will take a steamer for Australia, and from thence to the East Indies, Egypt and Palestine. A steamer trip across the Medi-terranean will land the travelers in Italy. from which country they will go to Greece and different parts of Europe.

Yale Students Shoot Best. HARTFORD, Conn., Nov. 23 .- The annual intercollegiate trap shooting match between Yale, Harvard and Princeton was held this afternon on the grounds of the Colt Gun Club. 'The Yale team won by a score of 101. Harvard was second with 92 and Princeton third with 87. The teams were composed of five men each. Each man shot at six strings of five birds each thrown from three known traps at unknown angles.

Pacer Proctor Sold for \$10,000. MILAN, Tenn., Nov. 23 .- E. A. Collins, owner of the Cloverdell stock farm, has sold Proctor, the celebrated five-year-old pacer (2:15) to A. M. See, of Toronto, Ont. The price paid was \$10,000, Mr. Collins refused \$15,000 for Captain Mac, stud, by Pancoast, probably the most fashionably bred youngster in the State.

Showalter Still Ahead. NEW YORK, Nov. 23 .- Albin opened the eleventh game of the chess match at the Manhattan Chess Club to-day with a Ruy Lopez, which Showalter defended with Kt. K. B. 3. After fifty-nine moves the game was won by Albin rresent score: Showalter, 6; Albin, 4; drawn, 1. Sale of Brend to Be Regulated.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 23.—A bill was to-day presented in the House of Delegates, and passed to the second reading, to regulate the manufacture and sale of bread in St. Louis. It provides that all bread baked and offered for sale in St. Louis shall be made of good and wholesome flour or meal and sold by avoirdupois weight; that sach loaf shall have impressed on it the weight of the loaf and the name of the baker. It provides further that police officers may enter any bakery or shop where bread is sold and inspect it; that they may seize any bread not in accordance with the or-Trains leave Indianacolis at 7:30 a. m., any bread not in accordance with the or- and returning, leave Madison at 6 p. m., dinance, and the offender shall, on consame day, viction be fined.

Catholics Secure Valuable Paintings. responding severary; J. R. Clark, Clark,

THE HOLMES SWINDLE

ACCOMPLICE PITZEL'S ALLEGED BODY TO BE EXHUMED.

Mrs. Pitzel to Be Given an Opportunity to Identify It-The Williams Girls Alive.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 23 .- It was definitely ascertained to-day that the body buried for that of B. F. Perry, or Pitzel, which was found in a house on Callow Hill street, early in September, will again be exhumed and another effort made to identify it. Mr. Mattern, one of the coroner's physicians, visited Superintendent of Police Linden to-day, and was closeted for a short time with the superintendent and president of the insurance company. The outcome of the consultation is that the body will be disinterred for the purpose of having Mrs. Pitzel endeavor to identify it. It will be remembered that Mrs. Pitsel was too ill to come on from St. Louis at the time of the first attempt at identification. It is said that the teeth of the corpse had several sriking peculiarities, which Mrs. Pitzel should readily recognize if she was ever familiar with her husband's teeth. Several of them are missing, and some overlap each other. Mr. Mattern is of the opinion that Mrs. Pitzel ought to be able to identify the body by the teeth.

Holmes to-night retracted many of the statements made, or said to have been made, to a detective when coming to this city from Boston. He declared that both the Williams girls were alive, and that Anna was recently paid \$1,000 by Pitzel in New York city. The story of her murder and numerous other crimes with which his name was linked, he characterized as "rot." invented to throw the detectives off the

There was a new development to-day when it was learned that the detectives are looking for an express man who had been often seen with Pitzel, and who disappeared about the time the body was found. The theory is that either he had something to do with hauling the body that he himself was murdered. Holmes's lawyers stated to-day that they will show by documents on record that at the time of the alleged identification of Pitzel, that shadowy individual was personally conducting a real estate transaction in this city. Holmes and Mrs. Pitzel were removed from the central station to-day to prison.

THE ALLEGED DEAD MAN. Benjamin Pitzel in St. Louis After He

Left Chicago. CHICAGO, Nov. 23 .- The Chicago police have obtained a clew regarding Benjamin Pitzel, the accomplice of H. H. Holmes, alias Howard, who is now detained at Philadelphia on a charge of having swindled an insurance company out of \$10,000. This amount was placed on Pitzel's life and on Sept. 3 last a body supposed to have been his was found in Philadelphia. Pitzel had lived up to May last on Madison avenue, near Sixty-third street. It was found that Pitzel vacated his flat apartments on May 1, and that the furniture had been stored at No. 497 Sixty-third street. On or about Aug. I last he was in the city obstensibly to make arrangements regarding the re-moval of his household effects to St. Louis, where he intended making his home for the winter. The St. Louis address was given as No. 2306 Michigan street. A letter was received from Pitzel from St. Louis in which he promised to soon clear the indebt-edness on his furniture and effect its removal. Four letters have been written to Pitzel at St. Louis and none has been re-turned to him, despite the fact that pre-caution was taken to place the writer's address with the usual request for return on the outside of each envelope. This, the police think, shows that if Pitzel himself s not alive and living at St. L. uls, some one is representing him there who knows every detail connected with his business transactions. The handwriting of the St Louis letter corresponds with the one mailed at I hiladelphia by Pitzel.

THE WILLIAMS GIRLS. Holmes's Alleged Victims Known in

Texas Village. DALLAS, Tex., Nov. 23.-The sensational developments regarding Holmes, the insurance swindler, and his supposed relationship to the Williams girls, have aroused keen interest in the Oak Cliff community. Members of the Hesperian Club, a social institution, which flourished in the early days of Oak Cliffs, remember Miss Nannie Williams distinctly. At the fortnightly meetings of the club Miss Williams was a regular attendant and frequently took part in the evening's programmes, consisting of musical selections, recitations, etc. Miss Williams and her sister, Minnie, first appeared in Oak Cliff in 1889 and lived there the greater portion of the intervening time until June, 1893. Nannie attended the Oak Cliff College under the principalship of Prof. Collier, the father of Mrs. H. F. Spear, who lives at the corner of Park avenue and Twelfth street, in Oak Cliff. Mrs. Spear gives the Williams girls good characters during their stay in Oak Cliff. Miss Nannie Williams left the college in June, 1893, and went to Midlothian to teach in a public school. For the last two years no one in Oak Cliff has heard of the Williams girls and their old friends fear the theory that they have been murdered by Holmes is too true.

GRAVE ROBBERS ARKESTED.

Five Students of a University Medical College in Trouble.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 23 .- Five students of the University Medical College, of this city, were arrested early this morning in Oak Grove Cemetery, Kansas City, Kan., in the act of robbing graves. Their names were A. C. Zimmerman, Durant, Hinton, Klopper and Ryburn. At 12 o'clock word was received at police headquarters that grave robbers were at work in the cemetery, and a police wagon with several officers drove to the scene. A search of the grounds was made, but no signs of the robbers were found. The party started back, but was stopped a few blocks from the cemetery by a man who said he coul guide them to the right place, He led the party to the eastern outskirts of the cemetery. They found a man sitting in buggy on the east side, but on going to the place where the men had been digging they found the robbers had fled, but had left traces of their work. The man in the buggy gave the names of the students whom he had driven to the cemetery, and they were all arrested and lodged in jail, but subsequently released on bail. Later-The five students gave fictitious names at the police station, and got out of their trouble with a fine of \$25 each, imposed by Justice Swingley. They paid it joyfully and made themselves scarce immediately. The maximum penalty for grave robbing is five years.

Train Partly Burned. MERIDIAN, Miss., Nov. 23.—A special train on the Alabama & Great Southern railroad, having on board a number of prominent people coming south telescoped a freight train which was side-tracked at Toombsuba, a station fifteen miles east of Meridian, this morning. The engine pulling the special train was badly wrecked. The wreck became enveloped in flames and before they could be extinguished the engine and several freight cars, together with the merchandise with which they were loaded were badly burned. The engineer, fireman and passengers escaped unhurt.

Wire Tappers Caught.

DETROIT, Nov. 23 .- Three telegraph wire tappers were caught in the act, this after-noon, near the Grand Trunk railway, four miles east of Windsor. They were operating on a wire leading to a pool room in Windsor, and sending faise results of races, having confederates at the pool room. They give the names of Henry O'Hara, Harry Warner and Edward Smith.

Nutmegs Shaken. NEW LONDON, Conn., Nov. 23 .- Slight

City Evangelization Union. ocks of earthquake were reported from towns adjacent to this city t'is morning between 8 and 9 o'clock, reports coming from Croton, Mystic, Lynn and Niantic, where the sound was as of distant thunder and the vibration pronounced. No damage and the vibration pronounced is reported as far as known.

the collection of religious paintings by Italian artists which were on exhibition at the world's fair. They were collected from the descendents of old families of Italy and blood connections of pontiffs and nobility. They were brought to this country by Signor Speridone, of Rome, and have been in the custody of Mr. Giovanni Schaiffing of this city.

READY TO BE WEDDEL

MARRIAGE CONTRACT SIGNED BY THE CZAR AND PRINCESS ALIX.

Changes Made by the New Monarch-Officious Governor of St. Petersburg Punished-Earthquake Sufferers.

LONDON, Nov. 23 .- A dispatch received from St. Petersburg says: The marriage contract of the Czar and Princess Alix of Hesse-Darmstadt was signed to-day by M. De Giers, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, and by Count Vorontsoff-Dachkoff, the Minister of the Imperial Court. The contract makes certain provisions in favor of the Princess during the life of the Czar and in the event of his death.

An Odessa dispatch to the Daily News says that many university students have been arrested for declining to vote for the purchase of a wreath for Czar Alexander's funeral. It is added that several Poles who have been in prison since September declined to swear allegiance to Czar Nich-

A Berlin dispatch to the Daily News says the report is confirmed from St. Petersburg that Baron Mohrenheim, Russian embassador to France, will be recalled, and that his place will be filled by Prince Scheremertieff, now Governor of the Caucasus. Grand Duke Vladimir will succeed Prince Scheremertieff and Grand Duke Sergius will succeed Grand Duke Vladimir as commander of the St. Pteresburg military district. The office of Governor of Moscow, at present filled by Grand Duke Sergius, will be given to Grand Duke Alexander Michael-

The Czar has ordered a three days' arrest, at his own residence of M. Von Wahl, his ordering the police to tear down the mourning decorations on the palace of the Countess Strogonoff because she declined to await his official mourning decree. The Czar might have overlooked this offense, but the foreign embassador had complained to M. De Giers, the Foreign Minister, that Von Wahl had treated foreign correspond-ents badly. Thereupon the Czar decided to

The dispatch cites another instance of the Czar's independence. M. Durnovo, Min-ister of the Interior, has just recommended for promotion Prince Uchtomsky, who has served in the Ministry of the Interior for years without advancement, and who is a personal friend of Czar Nicholas. When the recommendation was made his Majesty remarked, ironically, to M. Durnovo: "So you are suddenly appreciating Uchtomsky?" The minister was perplexed, and appeared to be anxious to retract what he had said. It is stated that the Czar will make Prince Uchtomsky his private sec-

Scenes in Quaking Italy. ROME, Nov. 23.-Dispatches received here from Roggio say that there are 50,000 persons in that district who have been rendered homeless by the earthquakes. Many bodies were upheaved in the cemetery of San Procopia at the time it was disturbed by the earthquakes, and a number of bodies remain in sight and will have to be rein-

Horrible scenes have been witnessed in the stricken districts, where numbers of people have been wounded and in several cases horribly maimed. Some of the sufferers had limbs torn off, which caused their death before they could be removed from the streets. The military and volunteers of all classes of the inhabitants are working with energy building huts and providing food for those who are most in want.

Slight earthquakes and subterraneous rumblings continue to be felt at Milazzo, Sicily, where the inhabitants are still ter-

To Conciliate Cubans. LONDON, Nov. 24.-A dispatch from Madrid to the Standard says that after an angry debate that lasted two weeks, the conservatives in the Cortes have assented to a truce in the Cuban home-rule bill prepared by Senor Maura, ex-colonial minister, in order to enable Senor Arbasuza, the new Minister of the Colonies, to prepare a compromise. This action was taken after a consultation with the various party leaders and the Cuban autonomist deputies. It is expected that the next steamer for Havana will bear the recall of the present Governor of Cuba, who has shown overmuch favor to the home rulers. It is also expected that General Martinez Campos, once cap aingeneral of Cuba, will be sent to execute the new policy of conciliation.

Fight with Brigards. ROME, Nov. 23 .- A band of fifteen brigands attacked a tobacco store at Gaibanella, near Ferrara, last evening, while several other outlaws guarded the streets in the vicinity, threatening anybody approaching. The brigands tried to force an entrance into the store, but its owner and was returned by the brigands and the town was soon in a state of the greatest excitement. The tocsin was rung from the church steeple and assistance in the shape of a number of gendarmes soon arrived and drove the brigands out of town. Two of the inhabitants and one brigand were killed during the affray, and an officer of gendarmes was wounded.

A Woman Defents a Dake. LONDON. Nov. 23 .- The result of the election for members of the London School Board was made known to-night. Miss Davenport Hill has defeated the Duke of Newcastle in the city by 8,000 votes. The Duke, although beaten by Miss Hill, gets in the School Board, as he takes the second seat. The poll was the heaviest on record. Formerly the moderates had the largest aggregate vote, but now the position is reversed, the progressists polling 817,632 and the moderates 671,734. The latter, however, still retain a majority of the seats, holding twenty-nine against twenty-six. The progressists gained six seats.

Hawaiian Royalists Purchasing Arms PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Nov. 23 .-The dispatches from San Francisco intimating a probable uprising of the royalists in Hawaii to overthrow the present government and place Queen Liliuokalani on the throne, received part confirmation in this city. A well-known and responsible ship broker, who requested his name with-held for the present, made the statement to-day that he knew of his own personal knowledge that large quantities of fire-arms and ammunition were being shipped recently clandestinely to Hawaii on lumber

Number of Brazilian Rebels. RIO DE JANEIRO, Nov. 23 .- It is officially announced that the situation of affairs in the State of Rio Grande Do Sul does not cause anxiety to the government. Castilho remains Governor of that State and the insurgents number less than 14,500 men, scattered into small groups. General Hypolito has routed one insurgent party, led by Maneco Machado. The national, municipal and patriotic battalions have been disbanded.

Cable Notes.

Rev. Father Rooker, vice rector of the United States College at Rome, will succeed the Rev. Father Papl, as secretary of the apostolic delegation at Washington, Berne, Judge Wiedmann, who was sent on a mission to England by ex-Queen Liliouk lani, has finished his visit there and has gone to Germany, from which country he will re-turn to Hawali. The Judge has not met with success. A dispatch to the London Times from

Sydney, N. S. W., says that at a large meeting of American residents of that city it was decided to petition the United States government in favor of its undertaking the construction of the Nicaraguan

BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 22.—The National City Evangelization Union of the Methodist Church, which has been in session here to-day elected the following officers for next year. President, H. Samson, Pittsburg: 12r. J. E. James, Philadelphia, first vice president; J. R. Hobbs, Chicago, third vice president; Horace Benton, Cleveland, corresponding severagy: J. R. Clark Cin-

For Tired Mothers



ful for what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for me. I have taken three bottles and the medicine has made a great change. I was All Run Down from trouble and overwork, and had

other complaints com-

mon to my sex at my Mrs. G. W. Warnock since taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I am much stronger and am gaining in flesh. I would advise all overworked, tired, weak mothers to take Hood's Sarsaparilla to build them up." MRS. G. W. WAB-NOCE, Beverly, Nebraska. Remember,

Hood's Pills act easily, yet promptly an Meiently, on the liver and bowels. 25c.

SAYS IT WAS MIST. Prof. Van Trump Knocks Out the Mt. Ranier Smoke Story.

TACOMA, Wash., Nov. 23.-It remained cloudy all day to-day and Mount Tacoma could not be seen. Prof. P. B. Van Trump, of Yellow Prairie, forty miles north of the Northern Pacific, where a good view of th mountain can be obtained, writes the Ledger to the effect that mists rising from the mountains have probably been mistaken

for smoke. He says: "Persons familiar with mountain phenomena, especially those pertaining to this great mountain, know that clouds or masses of mist often form very rapidly on the mountain side or near its base, which sometimes suddenly elongate into streamers or columns and shoot rapidly up the mountain side in the ravines and depressions between its rocky ribs and rise high above the peaks. Seen from the other side above the peaks. Seen from the other side of the peak this ascending column of mist (of a dark or black hue when seen in a certain light) looks exactly like smoke issuing from the summit of the peak. Such mena is sometimes seen in connec with the North peak. Again, the weather caps, which are thrown off from the middle peak, sometimes a half dozen, in rapid sucon, look very much sometimes like densed mist, air or steam from the craters, and almost invariably precede a storm or change in the weather."

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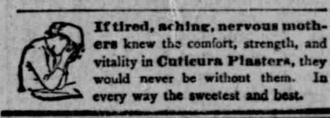
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